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ENTIRE CITIZENS' TICKET ELECTED

PAVING AND DAYLIGHT SAVING CARRY

The entire Citizens Village ticket was elected Monday and the projects of paving three blocks of Michigan avenue and of changing the local time from Central to Eastern Standard time carried by good majorities.

The Results

President—	
Hans Petersen, Citizens	227
George Burke, Peoples	195
Clerk—	
Roy O. Milnes, Citizens	253
Earl Nelson, Peoples	88
Treasurer—	
Herluf Sorenson, Citizens	199
Carl Jensen, Peoples	140
Assessor—	
James W. Sorenson, Citizens	254
Floyd Taylor, Peoples	84
Trustees—	
Emil Giegling, Citizens	233
Hans R. Nelson, Peoples	105
A. J. Joseph, Citizens	224
Chris King, Peoples	115
Al Roberts, Citizens	210
J. F. Smith, Peoples	129

For paving Michigan avenue from the railroad to Spruce street—(3 blocks) Yes 200. No 143.

For changing from Central Standard time from June 3rd to Sept. 2nd inclusive—Yes, 171. No, 160.

The total number of votes cast was 348, which was a very good showing for such a day as Monday when a warm sun and more or less rain caused the snow banks to dissolve at a high rate of speed and the streets were very wet. The people were interested largely in the proposition of paving Main street. There were some very decided opinions on each side of the question and it wasn't easy to dope out just how the people intended to vote.

However the result of the paving proposal of course pleased the Avalanche. It convinces us that Grayling's star is still in the ascendancy and, backed up by those who were ready and willing to pay the cost for improving the city, it is bound to carry on for many years to come.

We don't believe it pays to lay down a road to win a fight, as long as the people stand and pull together. While we cannot hope for complete unity of effort we believe that the right kind of concerted effort on the part of the majority of the residents of Grayling is going to help keep Grayling in the front ranks of prosperity.

Certainly we hope for added industries, but it would be folly to permit any of those already established here to leave if within our power to prevent. And there is one branch of business that may always be depended upon in a more or less degree—the tourist business. How large is going to be our share of that greatly depends upon what we have to offer and then the kind of reception and treatment tourists receive while here. We're going to dress up our reception at Main street—at least. That will help a lot. We are going to make our guests comfortable and help them to enjoy themselves in our community. The friendly smile and attitude and courteous treatment will do a lot to keep them coming.

School Notes

Editors—Isbrand Harder, Ellen Speck, Corinne Sheldon.

The American literature class are all busy getting ready for their book report.

The primary teacher had two visitors last week from the high school room and why? Ask Ellis and Lawrence.

Miss Adams—"Annabel, what did you learn about the salivary glands?" Annabel—"I couldn't find out a thing, Miss Adams. They're so very secretive."

Paul—Why did you put your girl's picture in your watch? Alva—"Because I think she will love me in time."

Elmer—"I had an awful fright last night." Stanley S.—"Yes, I saw you with her."

Miss Clark—Who was the first sportsman? Ellen S.—Adam, he started the race as soon as he was able.

Oliver Wendall Holmes says: "A misprint kills a sensitive author. An intentional change of his text murders him." No wonder so many poets die young.

The Senior class has begun working on their play.

Watch for further announcements in regard to the College Glee Club which is coming from Kalamazoo to entertain you on March 26.

Arthur M. wants to know how long girls should be courted. Same as short ones, we should say.

Miss Clark—How many wars was the United States involved in during the nineteenth century? Pauline S.—Three.

Miss Clark—Enumerate them.

Pauline—One, two, three.

Mr. Cushman (in civics)—The head of an Indian tribe is called a "Chief."

Now, can anybody tell me what the chief's daughter is called?

Dorothy M.—Mischievous!

Miss Adams—Can you tell me the name of any animal peculiar in Australia?

Ruth—The rhinoceros.

Miss Adams—Wrong. That's not found in Australia.

Ruth—Well, that's exactly why it would be peculiar.

ANSWERS E. M. T. AD OF FOUR YEARS AGO

(By E. M. T. Service)

The cumulative effects of the advertising which the East Michigan Tourist association is doing in calling attention to the recreational appeals of the section is large. An example of this came to the attention of E. M. T. Service last week, when the East Michigan Tourist association received an inquiry from a gentleman at Dayton Beach, Florida.

Accompanying his request for literature was a clipping from the April, 1924, issue of Field & Stream. This advertisement was precisely four years old.

The gentleman making the inquiry is a New York City manufacturer, spending the winter in Florida.

Putting Out the Welcome Mat



HAVING GOOD TIME IN THE WEST

Our New Year's trip from Stockton to Los Angeles via Ridge Route. Return via Coast Route.

(By Mrs. John Stephan)

After eating an early breakfast, we packed a small suitcase with sandwiches and other good things, filled a bottle with hot coffee, looked over our pal, Pontiac, loaded Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, ourselves, three suitcases, lunch, and Thermos bottle in, and away we started to Aunt Eva's. She had invited us to spend New Years with her and also to view the Carnival of Roses on January 2 in Pasadena.

We got started about five-thirty a. m. It was still dark and cool enough so that we did not mind having two coats and some warm robes. Having been over this part of the road before, we did not care if we could not see. The sun came from behind the snow-capped mountains on our left. We passed several flocks of wild geese traveling the same way as we, namely south, so you see, we were moving right along—about fifty-five per hour.

The valley was getting narrower and the mountains were looming ahead. Aunt Eva lives at Eagle Rock which is on Colorado Boulevard, the main road, or street, thru several cities, from Burbank to Los Angeles. For fifty miles, or perhaps more, you would not know where one city ends and another begins if they were not marked with electric signs, hanging across the street announcing the city limits.

A few miles from Bakersfield a huge sign read "Hank's Free Camp Ground." We drove in about eleven o'clock a. m. and prepared to eat our lunch. Soon cats began to appear, black, calico, and mottled, old, young, and all evidently very hungry as they attacked our lunch which was spread on the table. Some got knocked into the garbage can, and it kept us busy, between bites, defending our eatables. There was a sign "Tell It to Hank," but we did not bother. While lunching, we were entertained by the singing of many birds. A family was there in a tent, on the grounds, and the kiddies were bare-foot. After lunch, we walked around a little. On returning to the car, we did not need our heavy coats or robes which we have learned to roll and store away so as to be free and comfortable. Starting out again, we were soon passing fields of cotton that had not been picked and is now milled; many grapes were in the same condition. This was between Bakersfield and Lobe. Before reaching Lobe, the road was splendid. We could see for miles, straight ahead, the black roadbed, with a light gray center about six inches wide, light gray edges eighteen inches wide, bordered with green grass. We were riding thru an alkali desert of pure white sand with a tuft of wiry grass now and then; no other vegetation was to be seen except the palms planted along the roadside. Mountains appeared on either side. The Coast Ranges on the right were not as high as the Sierra Nevada on the left. The latter were covered with snow and ice which glistened in spots like diamonds. By this time we had shed all our wraps and hats and opened the windows. There was no dust, however, as the roads are asphalt. The heat is so intense some-times that it makes them soft. Looking ahead, the road seemed suddenly to tend into the mountains, but there were machines zigzagging up the mountainside, sometimes to our right, then to our left; always higher up, and looking like bugs. To look around, you do not realize you are going up, but the machine is laboring; thus, convincing you that it is up-hill work. We were now going up to Tijuana, soon began to get our wraps out and on. As we got higher, the cars have a stuffed feeling; as you go down they clear with a snapping sound and you can hear plainly. The sounds seem so loud that it's confusing.

At Lobe the town was along a railroad in a canyon a thousand feet below us, and I do not believe it was more than a mile across the canyon at this place. We were on a cliff looking down. On this cliff the road workers had camped and there was a huge "Shell" gasoline sign. I am always wanting to get out to look, and walk around, exasperating Lacey,

almost always. We tried to get some pictures there.

We also stopped at Tijuana pass a few minutes to exercise. Here a small plateau had been blasted from the mountain side. On this side of the roadway, about fifty feet wide at this spot, on an "S" horseshoe curve, and maybe three hundred feet in length, was built a postoffice, cafe, two or three tourist cabins, rest rooms, and what at one time, was a saloon. All were in a row, they were facing the road and had no back-doors; back of them the mountain wall was down, down I don't know how far. The road was between them and a perpendicular wall that leaned out over the roadway at this place and must have been somewhere about five hundred feet high. On these roads each driver must keep on the right of the center white line or terrible accidents occur, as the roads are only wide enough for two cars at one time, and if you try to swing over too quickly, the roads, being rounded and beveled to the curves, the machine skids, driver loses control, and down you go or else smash into a solid rock wall. The speed limits are marked every few rods, and if obeyed there is no danger, but there are a few fools, as the remains in some canyons show.

The valley from Stockton to this pass is known as the San Joaquin (San Wah-keen). The river by that name and its tributaries, along which many wells furnish the means of irrigation, domestic water supply for ranches, and numerous cities as far south as Los Angeles, as well as power for electricity that is lavishly used everywhere for light, heat, and etc.

Soon after leaving Tijuana, Lacey stopped near a gateway to a resort of some kind the sort that you find everywhere you go, tho we could not see the buildings. We got out and played snow-ball.

As we went down towards Los Angeles the air became warm and balmy but night overtook us before we got to Burbank and everyone was busy watching signs. Soon we found ourselves on Colorado Blvd., passed thru Glendale, next came to Eagle Rock, and found Aunt Eva's easily, as it is right on the road. We had traveled three hundred and eighty-six miles, over paved roads, of course, altho mountainous. We were very tired, hungry, thrilled and excited.

After a good night's rest and fine breakfast, I went outside, where I saw in reality what I have seen in pictures and read about. Mountains grand and awe inspiring, in many places now capped, not distant, and tho the night had been cool, the morning was warm and beautiful with ice and snow in sight. The Blvd., here was on an incline; houses were perched all over on the mountain sides and bluffs. Beautiful flowers, palms of many species, live oaks, acere after acre of oranges and lemons and etc.

Again about noon we took "Pontiac" out, drove past Eagle Rock that gives the town its name. With a little imagination you can see the form of an eagle on the face of it, large enough to be seen for miles. The road here is very beautiful; up, down, over and under on the side of a mountain range with ranches and almost continuous cities to Pasadena where, in every available space, was being built tiers of seats to accommodate the auto race on the morning. Decorations of banners and flowers were everywhere, show windows were full of chairs, also windows in second and third stories. Thence thru to Norwalk, past, I really believe, thousands of oil wells. One was burning, with bright red flames and dense black smoke that could be seen for miles. There were wells on the top of mountains clearly outlined on the sky. There were huge tanks on the ground and from these the crude petroleum is pumped for miles to large metal tanks several times larger than the barn where it is refined.

We then turned back and went thru Los Angeles and started for Hollywood. Whether there is only one road or not, I can't say, but the traffic jam we were in was terrible. There were machines as far ahead and behind as the eye could see with the street packed full, nine deep, and we were in the middle and with room for one car to move in opposite direction on our extreme left, we could only move from one to two feet at a time. It took an hour or more to move one-half mile to where we could turn off.

Aunt Eva is a nervous person and wanted Lacey to do anything, any way to get out. Another fellow tried to get across and the cop got him. While sitting here waiting for our

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STATE SPORTSMEN MOVE ON SAGINAW

WORTHWHILE CONSERVATION PROGRAM PLANNED FOR IZAAK WALTON LEAGUERS

Saginaw, Mich., March 12.—One hundred and sixty delegates and as many more sportsmen and conservationists are expected here for the annual convention of the Michigan division of the Izaak Walton League of America. The sessions will begin at 10 o'clock Friday morning, March 23, and continue through the next day.

"This convention," says Hiram A. Savage of Saginaw, president of the Michigan division, "will without question be the most important gathering of conservationists, conservation and protection of Michigan's outdoor resources ever held in the state."

A former secretary of war and now president of the Izaak Walton League of America, a university professor, the general manager of the national league, two members of the state conservation department and the author of the Indiana conservation code are among the men on the speaking program.

Broader Conservation Sought.

They are: Henry Baldwin Ward of the University of Illinois, whose reputation is that of a national authority on aquatic life and stream pollution; Jacob M. Dickinson, Chicago, president of the Izaak Walton League of America and secretary of war in the Taft administration; Fred H. Doeller, Chicago, general manager of the national organization; Homer Murphy of the Michigan conservation department, in charge of stream pollution activities; Philip S. Lovejoy of the state conservation department in charge of game, game refuges and public shooting grounds, and senator L. G. Bradford of South Bend, Ind., author of Indiana's new conservation code.

The convention delegates will consider from various angles and means to broaden and extend the scope of conservation activities, with but one object in view—the protection of our forests, lakes and streams and the wild life therein, not alone for the pleasure and recreation of the present generation but for all time to come.

Michigan Liberally Endowed.

"Nature has been liberal to the verge of extravagance in her endowment of opportunities for health and recreation in the territory lying inside the border lines of Michigan," says President Savage of the Michigan division of the league.

"The broad, open spaces of unsettled land, thousands of shady nooks and sylvan islands, studding lakes and rippling rivers are fast making Michigan the mecca of millions, drawn to this state by her unsurpassed natural beauties."

"The business and professional men of Michigan are reaping every year a golden harvest of millions of dollars from those thousands who enter our boundaries to roam over what in the past was considered waste lands, nothing more."

"The Izaak Walton League stands as the champion and protector of outdoor resources. It works has been of the greatest benefit to Michigan. Its results are everywhere. The convention will furnish ample evidence of the value of its program and the sincerity of its efforts to assure the continued blessing of a sound and thoroughly workable policy of conservation."

LYCEUM UNDERTAKEN AS A COMMUNITY ENTERPRISE

The Epworth League which has sponsored the Lyceum course for the last two years, have asked that the community at large undertake this work with the result that Mr. Persons of the Redpath Lyceum Bureau called on the citizens of the town last week in an effort to secure at least fifty guarantors to make possible an excellent program of Lyceum numbers next winter. Within a very brief time fifty signers were obtained and the Lyceum Course assured.

Last year the League put on five numbers, numbers ranging in cost from \$50 to \$85. This year it has been decided to put on only four numbers, but to secure the better line of material ranging in cost from \$90 to \$150. Such an arrangement makes possible the bringing to our town of Private Post, World War Lecturer and Dramatist who has received as much as \$1,000 a night, the DeGiorgio Orchestra the finest musical family on the Redpath booking, Tess Sheehan and her Killarney Cullen in a great Irish program and the Artells Dickson Concert Co., of New York City.

List of signers to Grayling 1928-9 Lyceum contract:

Rev. J. W. Greenwood, Thos. Cassidy, O. P. Schumann, Luther Herrick, Russell Cripps, Paul Ziebell, Henry Bauman.

Edward Gierke, W. W. Lewis, Roy L. Holmberg, Chris Hoelsi, Carl Parsons, John Brumm.

George Sorenson, Tracy Nelson, Philip Quigley, A. J. Joseph, T. F. Peterson, Sigvald Hanson, M. F. Nollist, J. R. Martin, A. R. Crane, Albert Roberts, R. H. Gillett, E. F. Matson, Alfred Bebb, Mrs. Alfred Bebb.

Earl W. Nelson, Hans R. Nelson, Howard Granger, Stanley R. Matson, H. Hanson, Rev. Fr. J. L. Culligan, A. M. Peterson.

H. A. Barnett, Mrs. Geo. Alexander, Ruth McNeven, James McNeven, Mrs. H. A. Bauman, Anna Peterson, Chas. Gottho, Emil Giegling, Alfred Hanson, Emil Niederor, Corwin Auto Sales, George M. Cullen, C. J. McNamara, O. W. Hanson, C. G. Clippert, M. D. Margaret Jensen.

Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Sunday, March 18, 1928 At 10:30 a. m. the third message in a Lenten series of devotional addresses. The theme is "Where the rub in life comes in."

At 7:30 p. m. an appropriate service in memory of the blind hymn writer, Fanny Crosby who was born March 24, 1820. She died Feb. 12, 1915 at the grand old age of ninety-five.

A Scarlet Shaft Of Sunrise

These are days when our eyes eagerly scan the horizon to see signs of a new day and a new enduring social order. A few weeks ago Mr. Kellogg of the United States State Department surprised the world by his sweeping proposal for a multi-lateral treaty for the abolition of war. Lest France misunderstand his proposal he states in part: "The government of the United States desires to see the INSTITUTION of war abolished." And again—"From the broad standpoint of humanity and civilization all war is an assault upon the stability of human society, and should be suppressed in the common interest." Now we shall see whether European peace talk is sincere, whether the league of nations has a military character, and whether France was serious in her proposal to the United States for a bi-lateral treaty to eliminate war. The fact that chatters us is that our own United States is gravely engaged in the initial stages of negotiating a peace-peace whose significance dwarfs any attempt ever made to rid the world of the INSTITUTION of war. This is the shaft of sunrise that is prophetic of a new day.

HANNA-NELSON FOR SUPERVISORS

REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS NAME CANDIDATES

The Republican and Democratic parties made their nominations for township officers, the latter last Saturday night and the former on Monday night. Both caucuses were poorly attended. Following are the nominees:

Democratic Ticket
Supervisor—Anthony J. Nelson.
Clerk—Chas. O. McCullough.
Treasurer—Alfred Hanson.
Highway Commissioner—James McDonnell.
Justice—Thomas Cassidy.
Justice to fill vacancy—Hans Petersen.
Member Board of Review—Albert Roberts.
Overseer Highways—Dist. No. 1—Peter F. Jorgenson.
Overseer Highways—Dist. No. 2—Rudolph Feldhauser.
Constables—Niels Nielsen, Walter

PRIMARY CONCERT FINE SUCCESS

The concert given by the children of the primary department of the Michelson Sunday School at the church last Friday evening turned out to be a fine success. Many compliments have been offered on the entertainment and by some it was regarded as the best children's program put on in Grayling in some time.

However there were so many things doing on Friday evening that many were unable to attend the concert and for that reason it will be reproduced again on Friday evening of this week, March 16th. There will be no admission, but instead a free will offering will be taken. The entertainment will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Fred Welsh Jr. has recovered from his recent illness and will be able to take his part on Friday night, that of the soldier boy and colorbearer and tin soldier. There will also be some added attractions on the program.

The following who took principal parts in the concert did very nicely last Friday night and are sure to please again this week.

Patricia McKenna, Alberta Knibbs, Bobby Welsh (5 years old), Donald Wood, Madeline Greenwood (3 years old), Helen Elaine McLeod, Dorothy Wakeley, Margaret Smith, Perry Greenwood, Ruth Burrows, Eva Wheeler, Gloria McNeven, John Hanson, Beatrice and Virginia Peterson, Charles Bradley, Billy Joseph, Floyd Willie, Fred Wood and Percy Griffin. Georgiana Land, 8 years old, nicely rendered "Onward Christian soldiers" on her violin, leading the chorus in that song. Between scenes 1 and 2, Helen Elaine McLeod, 7 years old and Vivian Dawson and Dorothy Wakeley, 8 years old played piano solos in a pleasing manner.

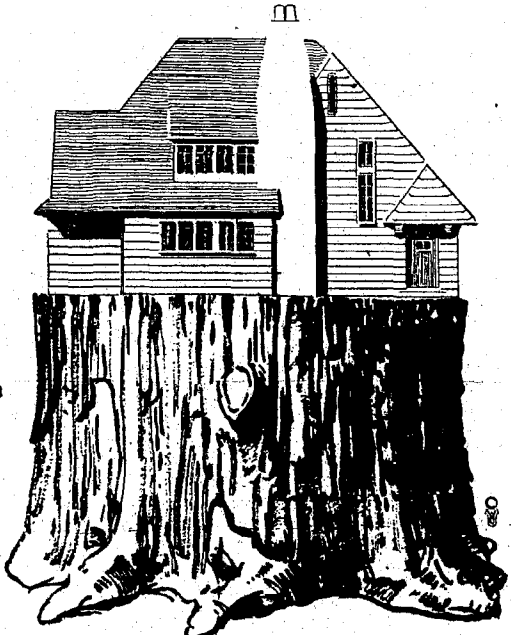
Donald Gottho was platform manager and Billy Joseph in tuxedo dress acted the part of orchestra director.

The primary orchestra made a big hit, playing the opening selection and also playing between scene II and III. The instruments included tamborines, saxophone, two violins, flute, xylophone, drum and others.

In all the entertainment was very clever and Mrs. Peter McNeven, who is superintendent of the primary department and her helpers are to be highly commended for their efforts in presenting the concert.

Nadeau, Johannes Rasmussen and Frank X. Tett.

Republican Ticket
Supervisor—Ralph Hanna.
Clerk—Chris Jensen.
Treasurer—Charles J. McNamara.
Highway Commissioner—Augustus Funk.
Justice—Emil Kraus.
Justice to fill vacancy—Philip G. Zalsman.
Member Board of Review—Edwin S. Chalker.
Overseer Highways—Dist. No. 1—William Broadbent.
Overseer Highways—Dist. No. 2—Henry Stephan.
Constables—Alvin La Chapelle, Hans L. Peterson, Louis Mead, Morris Gorman.



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THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1928

THERE IS a very important thing that we can do among strangers and that is to keep mum about things we don't like at home. If there are any citizens here whom we don't like, for goodness sake don't tell it to outsiders. They don't want to hear about it and the desirable class of visitors won't think any more of us for gabbing about it. In fact, most of them resent our home town gossip, and we have heard of one party of tourists who stopped in town and while they were being waited upon they inquired about a certain person of whom they had heard. They received a reply and also some unkind remarks about that person of whom they had inquired.

They left in disgust feeling that this was no place for them. This story comes to us as a fact, it pays good dividends to either tell something good about our neighbors or the affairs of the city or, if that cannot be done, don't say anything. Michigan is a natural summer playground and hundreds of thousands of people are attracted to the north region every summer. They trek to the northland. Some know where they are going while others drift to wherever their fancy dictates, looking for places of interest.

A few years ago three young men from Boston motored into Grayling.

They were spending the summer camping and hadn't stayed longer than one night in a single place. Someone told them about Lake Margrethe. They went there and the result was they remained three weeks, leaving just in time to get home for the opening of college. They liked the place, and wouldn't have known about it without someone here telling them.

We cannot rush out and stop every passing car to tell them about our beautiful lakes and rivers, but many of the tourists stop for service, and it is then that opportunity is offered to boost, boost, boost; and to put the clamp down tight on everything that sounds other than complimentary. There are no people in a city who have better opportunity to help swing the visitors off their routes and to induce them to pitch their tents among us than the Service station attendants. Every gas station should be provided with literature showing the attractions in and about Grayling. People want that information; they want to know where to go and what they may find there upon their arrival. And it pays to go out of our way at times to direct people to places they wish to go to. It pays.

VICIOUS PLOTS

At a recent conference dinner of the Church and Drama Association in New York that organization went on record as advocating "not censorship of what is evil in the theatre, but approbation of what is good in the drama."

The conference was attended by more than a thousand—Catholics, Protestants and Jews. Bishop Manning, one of the principal speakers, made the following declaration: "The truest and most effective way of opposing evil on the stage is to give our strong and positive support to the plays that are wholesome and good. I wish that the people of all the churches would help the men and women of the stage by withholding their support from vulgar and

unclean plays, and by giving their support generously to the plays which deserve support."

This marks a new and sensible departure in the treatment of questionable plays. Enlarging on the viciousness of certain theatrical productions has invariably resulted in crowded houses for those presentations. Condemnation of wicked plays is effective only in arousing morbid curiosity in the minds of a large section of the public, which, from the box office standpoint, means good business. Thus such criticism defeats its purpose; it has the opposite effect to that intended.

"EMANCIPATION OF MAN"

"The problem of America is not to emancipate woman, but to emancipate man. I did not come here to criticize America. I came here to learn as well as to teach. But I like now and then to hurl an intellectual bombshell. Such a bombshell was my remark that America was a matriarchy—a country where feminine civilization prevails. The preponderance of feminine influence impairs the creative faculty of the American man."

So spoke Count Hermann Keyserling, celebrated German philosopher, on a lecture tour in the United States.

Those Americans who have not had the opportunity to travel abroad probably do not realize how high is the pedestal upon which we have placed our womanhood. The feminine influence is immeasurably greater in the United States than in any other country. Why do we accord this equal, if not superior, status to our women? Is it not due to the fact that Americans, as a whole, are more chivalrous in the treatment of their women folk?

Generally speaking, the European woman's training teaches her to recognize her husband as the dominating authority in the home. She acquiesces in this wifely servitude because it is customary. She is used to it; it is the vogue.

But the chivalrous consideration that characterizes the American attitude toward women seems to be "quite all right," to use an English expression. The American view is different. And we are glad that it is so.

WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES

March 12, 1928

The Club met Monday evening at the club rooms. Mrs. H. J. Joseph read a paper on the Industrial Age. It was a splendid summary of the progress of industry, and the place of industry in the world today. Mrs. Joseph gave a list of the names of all the prominent men in the industrial world of today.

Mrs. Paul Hendrie gave a paper on the Spanish-American war. Mrs. Gertrude Peterson gave a very interesting report of the district convention in Saginaw.

LEON J. STEPHAN PASSED AWAY

Leon J. Stephan, a resident of Grayling since August, in the year 1879, passed away at his cabin near the fish hatchery, yesterday afternoon at 2:30. He had been ill with a bad cold for a week and was being looked after by his nephew Hubert Babbitt, who made daily trips to the cabin. Yesterday his sister Mrs. Rueben S. Babbitt went out to see how he was getting along and while she was there he expired sitting in his chair, while they sat there visiting.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the Sorenson Brothers undertaking parlors.

Mr. Stephan was born in France and came directly to Grayling in August of 1879, his father and other relatives following later. He was married in the year 1894 to Cora Nichols and to the union six children were born, all of whom arrived this morning from Jackson owing to their father's death. They are Carlston, Misses Zella, Susie, Gertrude, Bessie, and Hazel Stephan all of Jackson. Also besides the above he is survived by his one sister, Mrs. Babbitt and three brothers, Henry, George and Dan Stephan, all of Grayling.

Mr. Stephan had been a sportsman's guide and trapper for several years.

THE PASSING OF THE BLACK MARIA

By Erwin Greer

(President Greer School of Electrical and Automotive Trades, Chicago, Ill.) So gradual has been the passing of the Black Maria as the chariot of the law, that it has been almost unnoticed. Even now most persons believe that they are called out to take law-breakers to the confines of the jail.

But police officers will tell you a different story. Most arrests are made now by officers traveling in fast cars, that shriek and howl through the streets at the dangerous pace that once was the unique characteristic of the old Black Maria.

The reason is quickly told. It is an uncommon occurrence for an officer to arrest more than two or three men at a time, and consequently these can be transported in the light fast cars, instead of the great moving calabasses so popular in other days.

Blame Volstead and prohibition, you who mourn the passing of the Black Marias and their degeneration into a mere bus for prisoners to ride in from jail to courthouses.

It is not the Black Marias' fault that men do not get intoxicated in groups of hundreds any more as they did when the suds of real beer stained the mahogany bars of the old saloons, and slugs of Scotch, Bourbon and rye were sold at two for a quarter.

And into the black overworked vehicle the alcoholic gentlemen would be stacked like cordwood. The sirens would wail; the sobs would roll over in their beds, thanking heaven or something that they did not have to repose in jail.

Now and then a drunk falls asleep in the street. Now and then one of them sits on a curb to mourn. And these single sinners the light, fast "call" cars can carry.

So the Black Marias, shorn of their duties and splendors, have passed, almost to oblivion.

TEAM LOSER AT REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

Grayling High school basketball team started the Class "C" series of games at the regional tournament at Pokosky last week by winning from Chazy by a score of 44 to 7. One of the Pokosky newspapers commenting on the game said:

"Custer's quintet from Mason county ran into the real thing when it tackled the husky outfit from Grayling, another massacre taking place in which the lads bearing the name of the great Indian fighter fell by the lopsided count of 44 to 7. Grayling was a strong aggregation that hid fair to be heard from when the finals take place. Custer struggled gamely but was up against too much class."

"The Grayling battle provided both the high and the low score for the tournament thus far. It also brought out another heavy scorer in the person of Hendrickson, Grayling forward, with sixteen points to his credit. East Jordan will have a lot of men to watch in her game this evening, for the team from the state National Guard summer camp center has at least half a dozen fellows who can hook them through."

The second game was with East Jordan. The score was 31 to 16 in favor of East Jordan. The link seemed to hover over the Grayling players as they saw many of their shots roll around the hoop only to fall on the outside. Fast passing and clever dribbling, time after time, resulted in missing the throw by skinny margins. It was heart-breaking to the Cushman quintet, who only the night before were making their shots almost at will.

The play-off for third place with St. Francis of Traverse City also found our boys on the losing end—21 to 15.

In spite of this apparently poor showing we consider they did well considering that with the exception of two players all are first year men, and pretty young to withstand the strenuous work in a tournament series with every team they meet is a district champion. Of course we are disappointed, but another year will find the lads older in years and older in experience; and, if they keep up the good work they did here at home they will be sure to be a strong attraction at the next tournament.

YOUNG MOTHER DIES LEAVING LARGE FAMILY

Mrs. Robert Lindsay, age 38 years, passed away at Mercy hospital Tuesday where she had been brought the Friday previous in a very serious condition. In the death of the mother seven children are left motherless, the youngest a babe of three weeks, the others ranging between the ages of 16 months and 17 years.

The case is a very sad one. The father was brought to Grayling over two weeks ago from his home in Dewar to Mercy hospital with blood poisoning in his hand and is still there in a serious condition. Thursday night the oldest boy made his way to Frederic to tell of his mother being very ill and the next morning arrangements were made to bring Mrs. Lindsay to the hospital. The family live about ten miles from Frederic and this part of the trip was made by sleigh and at Frederic an ambulance from Mercy hospital met the patient.

Saturday the family of children were brought to Grayling and Monday the little 16 months old child took with a convulsion and he too was taken to the hospital where he is getting along nicely. The rest of the children are being cared for by Mrs. Bert Chappell.

An attempt to locate two brothers of Mrs. Lindsay, who reside in Detroit have been made, but as yet no word has been received from them and so the remains of the wife and mother will be laid to rest in Elmwood cemetery this afternoon.

The family came to Dewar from Onaway last fall but were unable to make a living in Dewar and for weeks had been in great need.

HEADING OFF GRAFTORS

Lansing, Michigan, March 12.—The Michigan securities commission has ordered the Merchant Sales & Realty Company, giving its address as 159 N. State Street, Chicago, to discontinue any further attempts to do business in Lansing or the State of Michigan, after a representative of the firm was trapped in the capital city taking a \$200 "advance" on its commission, for expenses in listing and advertising the property.

A Lansing laundryman, interested in selling business, had been solicited to list his property with the firm by mail. Later C. Ellis, representing the firm, called on him, offering him a sales contract that if not exclusive and agreed that if the owner found a buyer before the firm did he need not pay the organization any commission. These things he knew were not in keeping with good business practice and when he was asked for the advance of \$200, he telephoned Bert J. Baker, Realtor and former president of the Michigan Real Estate Association. Baker immediately informed the state securities commission. Before Ellis left the laundryman's office, James B. Finzen, in charge of real estate for the securities commission, and George Hees, investigator, caught him.

Officials discovered that Ellis had already collected \$50 each from two Lansing property owners, and forced him to return the money, ordering him at the same time to leave Lansing and the State of Michigan immediately.

The Michigan Real Estate Association was advised of the scheme and has informed its member boards over the state of the Chicago firm's activities. The state further attempts to get money from Michigan property owners will involve the firm and its representatives in much more serious difficulties.

Last week's issue of the Cheboygan Observer said:

"Hereafter it will be lawful to troll from a motor boat in Mullet and Burt Lakes in Cheboygan county. Other large lakes in lower Michigan have been included with Cheboygan county's two great lakes, so decreed the conservation commission at its regular monthly meeting at Lansing last Friday. Wonder how come this change? Heretofore it has been unlawful to troll from a motorboat in any of Michigan's inland waters. We question the wisdom of the change. And so do we."

HEALTH CENTER NEWS

The Boy Scouts in their scout work "Service for Others" will call at any house for any material you wish to donate to the health center.

Call Howard Granger, Patrol Leader or Rev. Wilfred Greenwood.

The Junior Red Cross made a campaign of the town last September for old clothes, many people were glad for the donations. The clothes were sold for a mere sum giving the people a chance to get the material they could use.

We will not make a house to house call this spring for donations, either for sickness or health. But we will accept anything anyone desires to give that can be utilized.

The Health League girls will give a fair at the Center May 5.

They would like something old or something new. Something bright or something blue.

They will have a candy booth, a bake counter and clothes.

They are making a quilt of their own handwork to be given to the lucky one.

Let's help and encourage health progress by taking an interest in Health Center work.

The money the Health Center receives for the Salvage Shop is disposed of this way: One quarter is given to Mrs. Brown who cares for the Center and Salvage Shop; one quarter for Health Center equipment and the rest for equipment for clinics and demonstrations or Health programs.

FREDERIC NEWS

Here's hoping the snow will soon be a thing of the past. Old residents can not remember the beautiful being drifted and piled up like it is this year. Some families have been snowed in almost entirely the last few weeks.

E. McCracken was a week end visitor at home, where some of the neighbors called Monday evening after the lights were out and surprised them, it being his wife's seventy-sixth birthday. A pot-luck supper was enjoyed.

The Aid play was enjoyed by those present, the parts being well memorized.

We have not discovered the person who saw the first robin this spring, but the crows tell us they have come to stay.

Frank Leng, mother and friend were here last week visiting Mrs. Albert Lewis and the Leng brothers.

Mrs. Stannard spent Monday in Bay City.

Mrs. Charles Craven has been on the sick list.

Oscar Charvon received a letter from John Parsons of Rogers City. His business is fine and even better than he expected. He sold 600 pounds of beef Saturday.

Max Tobin is afflicted with the flu at present. He expects to be in office after the 20th, at Johannesburg.

NEWBERRY TO HAVE CHARGE C. M. T. C. NEXT SUMMER

Detroit, March 13.—(Special)—Phelps Newberry, well-known Detroit financier, and son of former United States Senator Truman H. Newberry, has been commissioned civilian aide for Michigan to the secretary of war, by Secretary of War Davis. Mr. Newberry's commission runs for four years, and during this period he will have charge of the Citizens' Military Training Camps campaign that is operated by the United States government for the upbuilding of the young men of this country, and teaching them American citizenship, loyalty and obedience to their parents and those in authority. Mr. Newberry has opened a state headquarters for the C. M. T. C. at 443 Book Tower, Detroit, Michigan, with George C. Waldo, well-known in Detroit and Michigan circles, as the executive in charge of the state headquarters.

"Phelps Newberry, Civilian Aide for Michigan to Secretary of War Davis."

Michigan will have two Citizens' Military Training Camps again this year, one at Camp Custer, which will be the largest, and the other at Port Brady. Michigan young men will be sent to two other training camps outside of Michigan, however. These are located at Camp McCoy, Sparta, Wis., and Port Sheridan, Ill. The two Michigan Camps and the one at Camp McCoy will open July 26 and close on August 24, while the one at Port Sheridan will open one day later, July 27, and close August 25.

Citizens committees for the enrollment campaign have been formed in every county in Michigan, and include county chairmen, assisted by men and women committees and medical examiners. Because Michigan secured several hundred more enrollments last year for Camp Custer than the quota set by the act, the actual enrollment campaign has started several months later this year, and there is much enthusiasm among the trainees who attended the camps last summer. More than 300 of the trainees who took their basic course have already signed up for their second year.

The Sixth Corps Area, composed of the states of Michigan, Illinois and Wisconsin will furnish a total of 4500 young men for the summer camps in this corps area, of which Michigan has been called upon to furnish 1,878.

Young men between the ages of 17 and 24 years of age, of good moral character and in good physical condition are eligible for the training. The camps will last 30 days and all expenses are paid by the government, including transportation to camp and back home, a uniform, underwear, socks, bed linen, medical and dental care if necessary.

Information regarding the camps, application blanks and folders explaining what is done at the camps can be had by applying or writing Phelps Newberry, civilian aide for Michigan to Secretary of War, 443 Book Tower, Detroit, Mich.

The body of the Gypsy Prince Horvath, arrayed in medieval splendor, recently was interred in Parkany, Czechoslovakia. His coffin was of ebony and his costume silk brocade. His hand grasped a whip, symbolizing mastery over his horse and wife.

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SOILS MEETINGS IN NORTH-EAST MICHIGAN

(By E. M. T. Service)

L. L. Drake, special agricultural agent of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau, is directing a series of soils meetings in Northeastern Michigan. George Trull, soils specialist of Michigan State College extension department, is assisting Drake. Fertility of soils, primary problems of farm production and other subjects closely associated with successful agriculture are being taken up at the meetings. The present program began with the tour of Northeastern Michigan last fall of the "Soils Truck."

The list of delinquent tax lands of Crawford county which will be offered for sale for unpaid taxes next May appears in this issue of the Avalanche. Property owners should study the list carefully and note whether or not their lands are being advertised for unpaid taxes. 3-8-5

FOR SALE—Gasoline engine 4 h. p. mounted on truck. Inquire of Clarence Dixon, across from south side church. 3-16-2

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Edward S. Houghton late of the Village of Grayling, in said county, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 16th day of February A. D. 1928, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 18th day of June A. D. 1928, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 18th day of June A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 16th A. D. 1928.
GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate.

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George Sorenson, Judge of Probate

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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1928

Mrs. Lon Collins left for Detroit Sunday night to visit her daughter Maxine.

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Misses Bernice and Ethel Ingalls were in Gaylord Tuesday visiting their friend Miss Ethel Merithews, who is ill at the home of Otis Peck.

Charles Wilbur, who received an injury to his head while at his work in the M. C. round house is still unable to return to his employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson left Thursday for Detroit where they will meet their daughters Ella and Margaret who are returning for the spring vacation from the Bennett School for girls.

Alfred Hanson made a trip to Bay City last week.

Two little gypsies will appear on the program at the primary concert Friday night, as a part of the added attractions for the evening.

The Queen Esther of Michelson Memorial church will give a bake sale Saturday afternoon at Petersen's grocery store.

An Automatic may be bought for \$9.50 down, \$7.50 each month payable with your light bill. Michigan Public Service Co.

There will be a special meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 88 for initiation, on Monday evening, March 19, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. John Yuill of Vanderbilt arrived yesterday afternoon to spend a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ziobell.

The Red Cross needs your help. Attend the dancing party at the school gymnasium Saturday and celebrate St. Patrick's day in a befitting way.

Buy flowers at Grayling Greenhouses Friday and help in the Hospital Aid society's work for Mercy Hospital. All day Friday, March 16.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates are driving to Lansing today to accompany their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Hermann home, who has been visiting here for the past couple of weeks.

Mr. Olaf Sorenson was 72 years of age Wednesday. A number of his close relatives gathered at his home that afternoon to commemorate the occasion.

Misses Kathryn Lee and Ethelyn Adams spent the week end in Alma and Misses Eleanor Schumann and Grace Hood in Lansing. Miss Alice Lundvall visited over Sunday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Stroebel of Hemlock were guests of relatives here from Saturday until Monday, when the latter's sister, Miss Ethel Waite accompanied them home to remain until Easter.

Saturday night, March 17th a dancing party will be given at the school gymnasium for the benefit of the Red Cross nursing activities. Everybody cordially invited. Bill \$1.00; extra lady and spectator 25c.

Thirty-five friends of Herbert Stephan gave him a pleasant surprise on his birthday anniversary last Saturday night, Mrs. Stephan planning the affair. Pinocle was enjoyed during the evening and a pot luck lunch was served. All had a pleasant time.

Mrs. Fred Kunst of Beaver Creek returned Saturday from Chicago, where she was called to the bedside of her daughter, Miss Bertha Kruschay, who submitted to an operation for the removal of her appendix on Sunday, Feb. 19 and passed away on February 25th of peritonitis. Miss Kruschay was a sister of Mrs. Arthur Skingley of Beaver Creek, the latter who owing to poor health was unable to go to Chicago. The deceased was laid to rest at Irving Park cemetery, Chicago.

Jack Zeder has been ill at his home with a slight cold.

Arthur Waite, who is employed in Midland visited at his home here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Nelson are the happy parents of a son, who arrived at their home Tuesday.

Arnold Lauridsen has been called to Niles, Michigan, where he was offered a good position on the railroad.

Attention ladies, free demonstration of any washer in stock at Michigan Public Service Co. show rooms. Don't miss the Red Cross dance at the school gymnasium St. Patrick's night, March 17th. The Alumni orchestra will play.

There will be a flower sale at Grayling Greenhouses tomorrow, Friday, March 16, given under the auspices of the Mercy Hospital Aid society.

You will want to hear the little Scotch liddle sing "The Pipes of Glen-Allen" Friday evening at the primary concert, at the Michelson Memorial church.

Grayling Indies will play Gaylord at that city next Tuesday night, March 20th. Grayling easily won on the local court and hope to repeat at Gaylord. Everyone who can should go with the home team.

To celebrate her daughter Joan's 4th birthday, Mrs. David Montour entertained eight little boys and girls last Friday afternoon. The lunch was carried out very prettily, a birthday cake centering the table.

Miss Sena Anderson, Red Cross nursing representative of St. Louis, Missouri, was in the city for several days this week, going over the local nurse's work and giving some good suggestions. This is Miss Anderson's second visit here.

Mrs. Arnold Burrows returned from Detroit yesterday afternoon, leaving her son Merton in making a good recovery at Ford Hospital, where he underwent an operation Tuesday of last week. Mr. Burrows returned Saturday after being there during the operation.

The Fort Brady basket ball team who have a game scheduled with the Grayling Independents for tonight, arrived in Grayling yesterday. They were to have played at Rogers City last night, but the game was cancelled owing to not being able to secure a hall to play in.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hagman are enjoying a visit from their daughter, Mrs. Felix Erickson, who arrived Monday from Pocatello, Idaho. Mr. Hagman is very sick and has been for some time. This is Mrs. Erickson's first visit here in fifteen years. She was formerly Miss Elizabeth Hagman.

A nine pound son, Roy Jed was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Canfield of Beaver Creek township on Tuesday, March 6th. It was necessary to remove Mrs. Canfield to Mercy hospital from her home the last of the week owing to complications having set in. Her condition is reported as serious. Mrs. Canfield is the niece of Mrs. Jens Hanson of Beaver Creek.

County Clerk Charles Gierke announces that he has received a supply of the new resident trout fishing licenses. This is the first time a license law has been in effect for resident fishermen. The fee is \$1.00 and applies to males only, of 21 years of age and over. Get your licenses, fellows, if you expect to fish trout May 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Skingley and family of Mancelona, who had been visiting here were unable to return to their home owing to Warren Valad who was to meet them at Gaylord, being unable to get through with his snowmobile. However he made the trip through to Grayling arriving Tuesday to accompany the Skingleys home.

In re-producing the Primary concert at Michelson Memorial church, Friday evening, March 16th, a few new attractions will be added to the program. A little lad dressed in Scotch kilts will sing "The Pipes of Glen-Allen," the soldier boy will sing "Over Yonder." There will be no admission charge, but instead a free will offering will be taken. The concert begins at 7:30 o'clock.

Dr. John T. Sample and Mr. and Mrs. William Brady of Saginaw, spent the week end at Dan Babbitt's, "Camp Wash-Ka-Da." Mrs. Sample who had been at the camp for ten days returned home with them on Monday. They all reported a good time, and expressed regret in having to leave. While at camp they enjoyed boating, and saw several deer which are yarding along the river.

The 202nd Coast Artillery of Chicago defeated the 106th Cavalry of Springfield, 26 to 15, at the Broadway Army last week for the Illinois National Guard basketball championship. Earl Clever of the winners led with five baskets and one free throw. These are the young men who come to Grayling in July for their military training. Of course we have an interest in their successes.

Several neighbors and friends of Mrs. Cletus St. Pierre gave a farewell party in her honor at her home last Thursday evening. There were about 24 present and cards were enjoyed, prizes for which were won by Mrs. William Neal and Mrs. Ollie McLeod. The guest of honor was presented with a beautiful Bavarian china tea set as a token of remembrance of the occasion, after a delicious pot luck supper had been enjoyed.

March being the month of tulips, made the beautiful pink ones used for decoration at the bridge luncheon on Mrs. Eeborn Hanson on Saturday most appropriate. The long table at which the guests were seated was centered with a huge bouquet of these flowers while candles of the same shade of pink guarded them on each side. Tulip tallies were also used for bridge. Mrs. A. E. Mason held the high score. Mrs. Sidney Graham was a guest of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giegling were called to Manistee Monday night by the sudden death of the former's sister, Miss Helen Giegling, from heart failure. The young woman was a former kindergarten teacher of Grayling schools, for several years where she was greatly admired for her ability as a teacher and for the fine work she had accomplished. During her stay here she made hosts of warm friends, who will be grieved to learn of her early demise. Miss Giegling would have been 88 years old next Saturday. The funeral is being held this afternoon.

Emil Kraus is in Detroit on business.

Miss Margaret Douglas of Lovell is a week end guest of Miss Beulah Collins.

Copper tub Automatic \$99.50, \$9.50 down, \$7.50 each month. Michigan Public Service Co.

Mrs. E. L. Preston of Lansing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craven of Frederic is a patient at Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Leo Jorgenson has been detained at her home with illness the past couple of weeks.

Don't miss seeing Grayling Independents in action tonight against the fast Fort Brady outfit.

Mrs. Thomas Cassidy has been detained at her home the past week or so with a sprained foot.

F. L. Michelson, A. E. Michelson and O. S. Hawes of Detroit are in the city coming to be in attendance at the regular monthly director's meeting of the local lumber companies. Wilhelm Raas of Johannesburg was also here.

The Embury-Martin mill whistle is sweet music. The mill is now getting into full operation in nice shape, and a considerable stream of logs is pouring in over the railroad from their upper peninsula cuttings.—Cheboygan Observer.

James Oliver Curwood, Owosso author, who died last August, left an estate of \$889,982, according to the inventory filed in Probate Court, at Cornua, by the Detroit Trust Co. Personal property was listed at \$809,912, and real estate of \$89,980.

R. D. Bailey, County Agricultural agent, has been quite ill at his home. He is suffering from Bright's disease. His many friends will hope for an early recovery. His term of office will expire April 1st after which he intends to return to his farm home near Gaylord.

Grayling Independent basket ball team easily defeated the Harrison Independents last Friday night on the home floor. Grayling defeated Harrison on their own court a few weeks ago by a small margin and a good game was looked for here, but it resulted in a very one-sided affair.

Mrs. Cletus St. Pierre and children left yesterday for Niles, Michigan, to join Mr. St. Pierre, who has been employed on the railroad there since December. Their household furniture was taken by van the same day. The St. Pierre family have been fine citizens and having resided in Grayling for many years have many friends who regret their leaving our community, however they are wished much success in their new home.

Mrs. Bernice Mable Canfield age 21 years, wife of Wesley Canfield of Beaver Creek township, passed away at Mercy hospital last evening at about six o'clock, having been brought to the hospital on Sunday seriously ill. Besides the husband, two children the youngest ten days old survive. Mrs. Canfield who was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Denno of Alpena, and a few years ago resided in Beaver Creek, had been brought up in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Jens Hanson of Beaver Creek, coming here when a young girl. The death of the young woman is very unfortunate and the family have the sympathy of many neighbors and friends in their sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. (Daisy Kraus) Barnett have purchased the Thomas Cassidy store building, now occupied as a grocery by H. Petersen. The deal was consummated Wednesday, and the new owners are to come into possession May 1st, about which time they will move their stock of hardware into it. Mr. Petersen says he will put a new plate glass front in his store building three doors east into which he will move the grocery. Also the interior will be remodeled and the building painted which will give him a very fine place of business. Both stores are well located. The Cassidy building will give much added space for the hardware store and permit of better display of goods and also to carry lines that they are not now able to handle.

Grayling lodge F. & A. M. will hold a special communication Thursday night, March 22nd when they will hold the third degree and several candidates. The Fellowship team of Gaylord will confer the first section of the initiatory work and the lecture will be given by Dr. C. C. Curnalia of Roscommon. Dr. Curnalia is one of the most able Masonic lecturers in Michigan and it will be worth an extra effort to be present to hear him. The meeting will begin at 4:30 p. m. and at 6:00 o'clock there will be a banquet. In the evening the remainder of the ceremonies will be conducted. This will probably be the most important Masonic meeting of the year, and the members are urged to be present. Many visitors from Gaylord and Roscommon are expected.

A good game of basket ball is looked for tonight when Grayling Independents will play the Fort Brady All Stars. The Fort Brady team are on their way to the Jefferson Barracks in Missouri to attend the annual athletic meet of the Sixth Army Corps and are playing the best teams along their route. Local basketball enthusiasts will remember the fine game played between the two teams last year when the game ended in a tie and two overtime periods were necessary to prove the winner. Lieutenant Smith, athletic director at Fort Brady claims a better team this year and Grayling is as good or better than they were last year so the game will probably be just as full of thrills. Don't miss it. Preliminary game at 7:30, big game at 8:30. Admission 25 and 35c.

Mrs. C. G. Clippert sang at the District Bankers convention held at Ovid recently, and the Ovid Register-Union of that city told of her part of the program the following: "Mrs. C. G. Clippert was on the program for two musical numbers, and was called back several times at each appearance. Mrs. Clippert, who is the wife of D. C. G. Clippert of Grayling, is well known here as Helen Webb, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Webb."

John Canfield of Beaver Creek township, shortly after the death of his son's wife, Mrs. Wesley Canfield, received word of the death of his father, at Cadillac. Members of the family are leaving today to attend the funeral. The funeral of Mrs. Wesley Canfield will be held Sunday afternoon in Grayling.

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AGRICULTURAL NOTES



Alfalfa Seed Source Should Be Reliable

In times of seed scarcity, buy from dealers with whom you are acquainted, suggests the farm crops department at Michigan State College.

The supply of alfalfa seed adapted to Michigan conditions will be somewhat limited this year, and the farmer who buys his seed early will have the opportunity of selecting from the best available stocks.

Michigan farmers should remember that seed from southern sources is not adapted to Michigan conditions. Tests made at the College show that the first severe winter will reduce the stand from southern seed to a point where it will not be a profitable crop.

Most of the northern grown alfalfa seed now grown in the United States is certified as to source by growers organizations in the regions where the seed is grown. Such certification can be depended upon by the buyer. The certification should state where the seed is grown, not where it was shipped from.

The supply of sweet clover seed is plentiful, and many Michigan farmers will be able to use this legume in their soil building program.

Clean House Saves Baby Chick Losses

Removal of the brooder house to clean ground will not prevent disease losses among chicks unless the brooder house itself is disinfected before the chicks are housed in it, is the warning given by the poultry department at Michigan State College to the local leaders who are enrolled in the poultry course.

The entire lower portion of the brooder house should be scrubbed, and then a liberal quantity of good disinfectant should be applied. Enough of the disinfectant should be used to insure the penetration of the material into all cracks in the floor.

The brooder stove should be regulated to give a temperature of 90 degrees at the edge of the hover, one inch above the floor.

This temperature should be reduced by five degrees each week until a temperature of 80 is reached the third week, and this temperature should then be maintained until all the chicks are perching.

Give chicks their first feed when they are 72 hours old. The first drink furnished to chicks should be either water or sour milk.

A satisfactory mash can be made from 60 pounds, yellow corn meal; 20 pounds, flour middlings; 10 pounds, dried milk, five pounds, meat scraps; four pounds, fine ground bone meal; one pound, salt.

Cod liver oil, two quarts to 100 pounds of mash, should be fed after the first week, and green food should be given after the third day. Feed a scratch grain made up from equal parts of cracked corn, cracked wheat, and hulled oats, after the third week.

HAVING GOOD TIME IN THE WEST

signal to go I noticed a live Christmas tree, near a school of some kind, decorated with many electric lights and a large star. I was homesick for the first time. I thought of last Christmas and the cold and snow, the Christmas tree on the square; old Santa, and the children. Here was everything but the snow and cold. There was a wild rose hedge in bloom.

Well, after we got out of this jam, we turned on a road we thought would take us back to Los Angeles. After going around a few curves we came to a mountain wall, the end of the road. There were several other cars in the same fix and it's queer how dumb a bunch like this can get; one man insisted on backing into us instead of letting us by so he could turn. Of course, like most roads out here, one side was air, but the other in this case was wall. We finally got by without damage. Lacey can turn on a dime, almost and our brakes are always kept in perfect condition. We finally went back along the traffic jam to Los Angeles, drove thru the central part, out past the jail which is the tallest building in the county, the terrible Hickman is confined. After some driving back and forth we got on Colorado Blvd., and went back to Eagle Rock. We gave up trying to see Hollywood as it was getting dark and our Turkey dinner was waiting for us. On this Blvd., at Aunt Eva's hotel, the traffic is continual and the machines travel so fast that you can hear the air actually whistling, and screeching in some cases. The roads, several of them, cross there like spokes of a wheel. Aunt Eva's place is on one of these triangular spaces, oil and gas station on point, dwelling, hotel, and garages, with drives and walks, trees, shrubs, and flowers; back of all mountains in the distance but the light was not right for a picture.

(Continued next week)

Borer Puts Crimp In Pork Industry

Michigan farmers who market their corn by feeding the crop to hogs may expect considerable losses, if the European corn borer is not controlled, judging from the experience of Frank Weaver, a prominent Canadian farmer who lives near Turnerville, Kent County, Ontario.

Weaver bought his 100-acre farm 17 years ago and states that the sale of hogs paid for it. He had never sold less than \$1,000 worth of pork per year until the corn borer became rampant in his neighborhood.

Before the advent of the corn borer Weaver had always fed about 100 pigs, besides about 16 head of beef cattle. But borer damage to his corn crop has compelled him to reduce the number of hogs to 26 and he believes that he will also have to decrease the number of beef cattle.

The last two years, Weaver has not produced enough corn to feed his usual acreage ran from 30 to 35 acres. In 1926, due to corn borer damage, he reduced his corn acreage to six, and in 1927, to three and one-half acres. Twelve acres of sugar beets, and more alfalfa, oats, and barley have been substituted in the place of corn. He estimates that his income has been cut in half due to the corn borer.

Weaver believes if everybody practices control measures that the corn borer can be controlled. His clean-up method is to cut the stalks with a mower, rather than with a side-delivery rake, and burn them. He then crushes the stubble with a T-rail and plows it under in the spring.

USEFUL INFORMATION

Waxing or varnishing improves the appearance of linoleum and makes it last longer. Use wax on the inlaid and plain kinds, and varnish on the printed ones, for wax sometimes tends to soften the printed surface. If either of these finishes is applied, the linoleum is then cleaned and cared for like a wood floor so finished. If not given a special finish, linoleum should be swept with a soft brush, and dusted with an oiled or dry mop. Occasionally, it should be cleaned more thoroughly, with a cloth wrung out of suds made with lukewarm water and neutral soap. Rinse the linoleum with clear water and dry with another cloth. Only a small space should be wet at a time. A linoleum-covered floor should never be flooded. Strong soaps and cleansing powders that contain alkali injure linoleum and should never be used on it. Whenever any kind of cleaning powder is used on a very dirty spot, care should be taken to remove any trace of the water in which the powder was dissolved.

WILL CONSTRUCT COTTAGES (By E. M. T. Service)

E. R. Monroe, of Bay City, has entered into an agreement with the Lost Lake Woods development project in Alcona county to superintend and build cottages for owners of lots in this unique development. Mr. Monroe has specialized in this work for years and has had a wide experience in civil engineering and auxiliary work.

Approximately 3,000 lot owners are interested with this development which encompasses an area of 8,600 acres and includes four lakes and 25 miles of trout streams. The development is located six miles north of Lincoln.



Elizabeth Arden
775 Fifth Avenue
New York
ON SALE AT
CENTRAL DRUG STORE
C. W. OLSEN PROP.
GRAYLING, MICH.

TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS

ELECTION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the annual election in the township of South Branch, County of Crawford, will be held at the town hall in the township of South Branch on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1928, at which time the following township officers will be elected:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of Peace, Commissioner of Highways, Overseers of Highways, Member of Board of Review, four Constables, and the nomination of presidential primary candidates; also to transact such other business as may come before the annual meeting of the electors to be held at the noon hour.

JOHN F. FLOETER, Clerk, 3-15-3

ELECTION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the annual election in the township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford, will be held at the town hall in the township of Beaver Creek on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1928, at which time the following township officers will be elected:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of Peace, Commissioner of Highways, Overseers of Highways, Member of Board of Review, four Constables, and the nomination of presidential primary candidates; also to transact such other business as may come before the annual meeting of the electors to be held at the noon hour.

ARTHUR SKINGLEY, Clerk, 3-15-3

ELECTION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the annual election in the township of Grayling, County of Crawford, will be held at the town hall in the township of Grayling on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1928, at which time the following township officers will be elected:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of Peace, Commissioner of Highways, Overseers of Highways, Member of Board of Review, four Constables, and the nomination of presidential primary candidates; also to transact such other business as may come before the annual meeting of the electors to be held at the noon hour.

CHAS. O. McCULLOUGH, Clerk, 3-15-3

ELECTION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the annual election in the township of Maple Forest, County of Crawford, will be held at the town hall in the township of Maple Forest on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1928, at which time the following township officers will be elected:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of Peace, Commissioner of Highways, Overseers of Highways, Member of Board of Review, four Constables, and the nomination of presidential primary candidates; also to transact such other business as may come before the annual meeting of the electors to be held at the noon hour.

WM. J. WOODBURN, Clerk, 3-15-3

ELECTION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the annual election in the township of Frederic, County of Crawford, will be held at the town hall in the township of Frederic on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1928, at which time the following township officers will be elected:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of Peace, Commissioner of Highways, Overseers of Highways, Member of Board of Review, four Constables, and the nomination of presidential primary candidates; also to transact such other business as may come before the annual meeting of the electors to be held at the noon hour.

JOHN ENSIGN, Clerk, 3-15-3

ELECTION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the annual election in the township of Lovells, County of Crawford, will be held at the town hall in the township of Lovells on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1928, at which time the following township officers will be elected:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of Peace, Commissioner of Highways, Overseers of Highways, Member of Board of Review, four Constables, and the nomination of presidential primary candidates; also to transact such other business as may come before the annual meeting of the electors to be held at the noon hour.

LOUISE McCORMICK, Clerk, 3-15-3

The fond mother said to her little son: "Naughty boy; you fell in the water with your new pants on."

Son—"I didn't have time to take them off."

Many persons who are scrupulous about their personal appearance, will yet have shabby looking dwellings. The dress up movement should extend to the home place here in Grayling this spring.

AMSTERDAM CREAM
FOR CHAPPED HANDS, FAULS, AND ROUGHNESS OF SKIN
A DELICIOUS EMOLLIENT FOR DAILY USE AS A BEAUTIFIER
Will make the skin clear, smooth and white and preserve it from the action of drying winds or cold and bright sunlight. Quickly soothes and relieves Sunburn, Eczema and all skin eruptions.
ALCOHOL 15%
For gentlemen after shaving it will be found superior to alcoholic toilet waters.
Prepared in the Laboratory of
Hazelitt & Perkins Drug Co.
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APPRECIATED AMERICAN HOSPITALITY

Hotel Pennsylvania
New York, N. Y.
March 2, 1928.

Mr. J. F. Smith,
Grayling, Mich.

Dear Sir:
Before I go aboard the Berengaria tonight to sail for home, I must attempt to express my appreciation for the most wonderful hospitality shown me in this great country of yours.

If my fellow countrymen could only know the people of the States, as I have come to know them, our two English speaking nations would side by side take a united leadership in assuring an everlasting worldwide peace.

I have never met such people in all my life. The treatment of me has been marvelous! You are a country of sportsmen. Fair play is both talked and practiced here.

The good people of Dayton Beach were so helpful to me in establishing the world's record—as you know, of 206.8 miles per hour.

And I can't thank enough, Mr. E. B. Germain and the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Company for their cooperation. I owe my life to Dunlop Tires. As I walked through the Dunlop plant at Buffalo I was amazed beyond words at American methods of manufacturing.

Words now fail me. Never can I express the deep feeling within me as I visited your Capital at Washington. It is a delightful city. But when I think of how President Coolidge so highly honored my Country by permitting me a twenty-two minute interview—how your "Mr. Vice President" so graciously expressed a truly fine international feeling in presenting to me the Dayton Beach Trophy—how your House of Representatives recognized my government as I was introduced from the gallery—I cannot, no I cannot, tell you my true feelings.

In two short weeks I came to greatly love your country. I can never thank you. But I cannot leave without letting you know how much I would like to be able to express my appreciations!

Sincerely,
Malcolm Campbell.

WE BELIEVE IT

"I believe that, because of the low prices at which land can be secured now is the most opportune time we have experienced in 30 years for the procurement of a farm. The young man who wants to follow agriculture should not overlook this wonderful opportunity."

"Agriculture in this country is, always has been, and I believe, always will be a sound solvent business."

"Practically all of the acceptable farm lands are now under cultivation. Increased population places 4,000 more mouths at Uncle Sam's breakfast table every morning."

"The farmer of the future will most certainly have more reason to be thankful than the farmer of the recent past. There is plenty of evidence to bear out that view."

"The best informed men in the agricultural field are convinced that the next 10 or 15 years will see farming advance into a period of remarkable prosperity."

(Quoted from a recent address by Asst. Secy. of Agriculture Dunlap.)

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commenced of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

West half of northwest quarter Sec. 2, town 25N, range 3W.

Amount paid \$147.77 tax for year 1912.

Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter Sec. 2, town 25N, range 3W.

Amount paid \$7.36 tax for year 1910.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$54.26 plus the fees of the sheriff.

Marius Hanson Assignee of Walter Jorgenson.

Place of business, Grayling, Mich. To Charles D. Culver, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

Frank L. Hart, grantee under State Tax Homestead Deed. 2-23-4

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commenced of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

Northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of sec. 2, town 27N, range 4W.

Amount paid \$10.85 tax for year 1921.

Paid as a condition of purchase \$8.93 tax for year 1922.

Paid as a condition of purchase \$12.90 tax for year 1924.

Paid as a condition of purchase \$13.94 tax for year 1925.

Paid as a condition of purchase \$12.03 tax for year 1926.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$244.60 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

ANDREW HART

Place of business Grayling, Michigan.

To William Q. Atwood, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

Walmer Jorgenson, grantee under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds. 3-8-4

HOME TOWN THOUGHTS

A country would never prosper if it bought half of its supplies in foreign lands, and a city will not go ahead if its people send a big part of their money elsewhere for purchases.

The salesman who can't talk does not commonly sell many goods, and similarly the business man who fails to talk about his goods through advertising is not apt to be very successful.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Enus Anderson, single, to Constance Johnson, dated the 11 day of July A. D. 1922, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 11 day of July A. D. 1922 in Liber H of mortgages, on page 356 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of eight hundred twenty-four and twenty-nine hundredths dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 2 day of June, A. D. 1928, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the courthouse in the Village of Grayling that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with statutory attorney fees to wit: the east half of the southwest quarter of section 2, town 25N, range 4W.

CONSTANCE JOHNSON, Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for mortgagee, Grayling, Michigan 3-8-13

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commenced of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

West half of northwest quarter Sec. 2, town 25N, range 3W.

Amount paid \$147.77 tax for year 1912.

Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter Sec. 2, town 25N, range 3W.

Amount paid \$7.36 tax for year 1910.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$54.26 plus the fees of the sheriff.

Marius Hanson Assignee of Walter Jorgenson.

Place of business, Grayling, Mich. To Charles D. Culver, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

Frank L. Hart, grantee under State Tax Homestead Deed. 2-23-4

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commenced of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

South half of southeast quarter of sec. 27, town 25N, range 2W.

Amount paid \$23.81 tax for year 1923.

Paid as a condition of purchase \$19.20 tax for year 1924.

Paid as a condition of purchase \$24.10 tax for year 1925.

Paid as a condition of purchase \$17.20 tax for year 1926.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$173.62 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

SYLVANUS S. CLARK.

Place of business Gladwin, Michigan.

To Alfonso H. Chambers, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

Robert D. Powell, grantee under land contract. 3-8-4

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

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Description of Land:
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

Northwest (NW¹/₄) quarter of Northeast (NE¹/₄) quarter, South Half (S¹/₂) of Northeast quarter (NE¹/₄) and Southeast quarter (SE¹/₄) sec. 7, town 27N, range 1W.

Amount paid \$53.40 tax for State tax lands.

East half (E¹/₂) sec. 7, town 27N, range 1W.

Amount paid \$53.13 tax for State bid.

East half (E¹/₂) sec. 7, town 27N, range 1W.

Amount paid \$47.68 tax for year 1924.

East half (E¹/₂) sec. 7, town 27N, range 1W.

Amount paid \$48.39 tax for year 1925.

Total paid at such sale \$202.80.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$415.20 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Brinton F. Hall, place of business Belding, Michigan. 3-8-4

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by John A. Smith, unmarried, to Philip Lefel dated the 20th day of August A. D. 1925, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of September A. D. 1925, in Liber H of Mortgages, on page 383, and assigned by Philip Lefel to F. C. Lanier, March 23, 1926 said assignment recorded April 23, 1926 in Liber I of mortgages page 403, and again assigned by F. C. Lanier to R. W. Burch May 17, 1926, recorded May 27, 1926 in Liber I of mortgages page 404, and again assigned by R. W. Burch and wife to H. Lane Coachman, January 3, 1927, recorded, January 8, 1927, in Liber I of mortgages page 414, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of five thousand two hundred eighty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 27th day of March A. D. 1928, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in Grayling Crawford County, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said County of Crawford is held), the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with statutory attorney fees, the proceeds being described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit:

The north half of southwest quarter; the southeast quarter of south west quarter; the west half of southeast quarter all in section thirty-two, township six north, range three west, Grayling township, Crawford County, Michigan.

H. Lane Coachman Assignee of mortgage.

Merle F. Nellist, attorney for assignee of mortgage, Grayling, Michigan. 12-22-13

DIRECTOR

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL PROBATE COURT

Crawford County, Mich. Sessions:—First and Third Monday of every month.

Hours:—9:00 to 11:00 a. m., and 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.

Any information and first Proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.

GEORGE SORENSON